

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend page 4, lines 7-19 as follows:

9 As will be described below in greater detail, the present system and method according to the present invention allows a user to define (i.e. predetermine) a target (or target region) in an image provided by a camera (i.e. an image capture system that captures a series of images from the incoming video stream). The user is allowed to describe or demonstrate what it means to activate the target that was predetermined during a training stage and to define a specific computer function to be associated with that activation (e.g., mouse click). Thereafter, whenever the system detects activation of the target, the computer system will perform the associated function. The system may activate the target by: (1) detecting a state, (2) detecting a motion or (3) detecting an intersection between an object in the scene and an object. These ways of activating the target will be discussed below in greater detail. One skilled in the art would understand that these methods of activating the target are illustrative only and are not meant to be limiting. That is, other methods of activating the target are also within the scope of the present invention.
